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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Takeshi IKUTA

Patent Art Unit: 3654

Serial No. 10/647,537

Examiner: Evan H. LANGDON

Filed: August 26, 2003

**For: FISHING LINE GUIDE MECHANISM  
FOR SPINNING REEL**

THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application:

[X] No additional fee is required.

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TOTAL	12	- 20	=	0	x09 =	\$	x18 =	\$
INDEP	2	- 3	=	0	x43 =	\$	x86 =	\$
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the May 5, 2004 Office Action, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper. Claims 1-12 are pending, with claims 1 and 7 being the only independent claims.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.